From: Woodruff, Leigh
To: Werntz, James

Subject: RE: Draft response to the petition at issue in the Idaho Conservation League v Pruitt litigation (unreasonable

delay/Hells Canyon nutrients)

**Date:** Monday, December 18, 2017 9:08:00 AM

We have not discussed it with either IDEQ or ODEQ, although both were notified of the complaint (I sent them copies).

Im now tracking down contact info for all the point sources in the TMDL, as our policy now is to be very inclusive in notification of our legal actions. A response is due at the end of January.

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From: Werntz, James

Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 9:39 AM

**To:** Woodruff, Leigh

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Leigh: Thank you for sharing this, as I had not been in the loop yet. I did read our draft response, and wondered if/how we had discussed this with IDEQ. I'm guessing they would be pleased by this outcome. Not so ICL....

Jim

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**Sent:** Friday, December 15, 2017 9:10 AM **To:** Werntz, James < <u>Werntz.James@epa.gov</u> >

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Jim,

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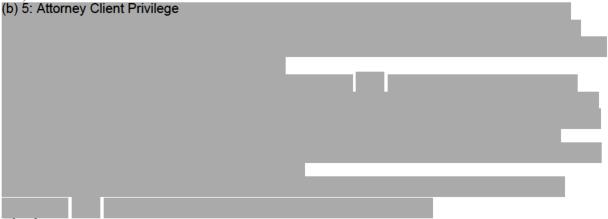
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Thanks,

JB, Leigh, and Sweeney

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